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**IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US)**

U.S. Application No.: 10/565,572

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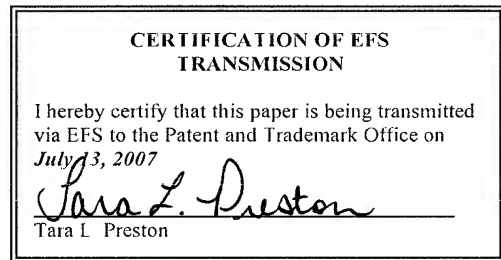
Earliest Priority Date Claimed: July 25, 2003

Title of Invention: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR SPLICING WEBS

Conf. No.: 2375

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**COMPLETION OF FILING REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION  
ENTERING NATIONAL STAGE IN U.S. DESIGNATED OFFICE (DO/US)  
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371**

Sir:

1. ☒ This replies to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed May 14, 2007.

**2. Papers Enclosed**

- ☒ A combined Declaration and Power of Attorney
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ An Assignment and Assignment Transmittal
- ☐ A Submission of Certified Copy of Priority Document
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement

**3. Transmittal of English Translation of Non-English Language Papers**

- ☐ Submitted herewith is an English translation of the non-English language international application papers *including drawings* as originally filed. Also submitted herewith is a statement by the translator of the accuracy of the translation. It is requested that this translation be used as the copy for examination purposes in the PTO.

4. The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Basic Filing Fee				\$ 300.00
Search Fee				\$ 100.00
Examination Fee				\$ 200.00
Application Size Fee [ ] Fee for each unit of additional 50 sheets or fraction exceeding 100 (\$250.00/each unit)				
Total Sheets	Extra Sheets	Number of each additional 50 sheets or fraction thereof (round up to a whole number)	Rate	
34 - 100 =	0/50 =	0	× \$250.00	
Surcharge fees (37 CFR §1.16(e))--\$130.00 [x] late payment of filing fee <i>and/or</i> [x] late filing of original declaration or oath				\$ 130.00
Claims				
Claims	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	
Total Claims	37 - 20 =	17	× \$ 50.00	\$ 850.00
Independent Claims	3 - 3 =	0	× \$200.00	
Multiple Dependent Claim(s) (if applicable)			+ \$360.00	
Extension of Time a. [x] Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time. <b>OR</b> b. [ ] Applicant petitions for an extension of time, the fees for which are set out in 37 CFR §1.17(a)(1)-(4), for the total number of months checked below: [ ] One Month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) ..... \$ 120.00 [ ] Two Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) ..... \$ 450.00 [ ] Three Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) ..... \$1,020.00 [ ] Four Months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) ..... \$1,590.00				
<b>TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS =</b>				\$1,580.00
[ ] Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR §1.27. The fees indicated above are reduced by 1/2.				
<b>SUBTOTAL =</b>				\$1,580.00
[ ] Processing fee of \$130.00 for furnishing the English translation later than 30 months after the priority date (37 CFR §1.492(f)).				
<b>TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =</b>				\$1,580.00
[ ] Assignment Fee (37 CFR §1.21(h))--\$40.00				
<b>TOTAL FEES DUE =</b>				\$1,580.00

**5. Payment of Fees**

- ☒ Of the Total Fees Due, \$1,580.00 was paid at the time of filing.  
☐ A check in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is enclosed.  
☐ Charge Deposit Account 50-1446 in the amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_.  
☐ The remainder of the Total Fees Due were paid via EFS on Form PTO-875.

**6. Authorization to Charge Additional Fees or Credit Overpayment**

- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1446.

Respectfully submitted,

July 13, 2007

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